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Richard J. Johnson Town Manager

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The Glastonbury Town Council 2155 Main Street Glastonbury, CT 06033

Re:

Town Manager's Report

Dear Council Members:

The following will keep you up-to-date on various topics.

1. Firefighter of the Year.

The annual Exchange Club Firefighter of the Year award program is scheduled for the evening of Thursday, September 17, 2015 at The Gallery.

2. Riverfront Park.

Placing of riprap continues with all sections of geotextile fabric (35) in place as of Saturday, August 22nd. Work continues to place riprap throughout the project area. A mid-September completion date is forecast for Phase 1 remediation. Work is underway on the Phase 2 remediation plans/options for the upper level of the park. The goal is to fully restore this area by calendar year end while reducing weight throughout the upper area of the park now disturbed. I will review Phase 2 remediation with Council when available.

3. Project Updates.

Several project updates as follows:

<u>Williams Street Sidewalk</u> – Construction in progress. Could experience some delays with fabrication of the pedestrian bridge. All efforts underway to complete project as timely as possible.

Naubuc Avenue Sidewalks - Contract awarded. Goal to complete this construction season.

<u>Griswold/Harris/House Intersection</u> – Almost all utility relocations complete. Contractor working on road widening, new sidewalk construction and related items.

<u>Barn</u> – Construction well underway for this new Facilities Maintenance and Emergency Preparedness building. Substantial complete forecast for late September and full occupancy by late October.

Tryon Street Drainage - Utility easements now in place. Current phase to be completed this fall.

Sincerely

Richard J. Johnson Town Manager